
From: Sarah Reingewirtz <sreingewirtz@scng.com>
Sent: Wednesday, May 16, 2018 7:49 AM
To: Joshua Rubenstein
Subject: Re: LA Daily News photographer request for ride along

Hi Josh,

I understand per our conversation that you are not interested in me pursuing a story on how police work has changed since AB109 and Prop 47 because the city has not taken a position on this and that officers misspoke when telling me that your North Hollywood station is the busiest in the Valley. I think the officers on the streets have a pretty good idea of what is going on. The numbers in COMPSTAT show North Hollywood station's violent crime totals in the last year are up more than 4 percent while all other divisions in the Valley are down 2-13 percent, such as Van Nuys being down 2.8 percent, Foothill down 9 percent and Mission down 13.7 percent. This is why I'd like to make a second request to go on ride-alongs for a photo essay on officers from this division to see why North Hollywood is busier than the others.

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From: Santa Cruz, Nicole <Nicole.SantaCruz@latimes.com>
Sent: Friday, May 11, 2018 3:08 PM
To: Joshua Rubenstein
Subject: use of force from May 8 2017

Importance: High

Hi Josh,

I'm writing a follow up story about the police commission's findings from the helicopter shooting from May 8, 2017 ... The newest report gives a sense of why commissioners found 12 officers out of policy – namely that the threat needed to be continually reassessed and also that some officers shot from a considerable distance that would have limited their ability to assess the decedent's actions as a deadly threat.

I was wondering if the department has any comment regarding the findings?

Thanks much,
Nicole

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From: Karlamangla, Soumya <Soumya.Karlamangla@latimes.com>
Sent: Friday, May 11, 2018 2:46 PM
To: Joshua Rubenstein
Subject: Re: la times re: april 26th incident

Thanks!

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From: Joshua Rubenstein <n5373@lapd.online>
Sent: Friday, May 11, 2018 2:43:44 PM
To: Karlamangla, Soumya
Cc: Joshua Rubenstein
Subject: Re: la times re: april 26th incident

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Josh Rubenstein
Public Information Director
Los Angeles Police Department
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Sent: Friday, May 11, 2018 11:00 AM
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From: Queally, James <James.Queally@latimes.com>
Sent: Thursday, May 10, 2018 3:35 PM
To: Joshua Rubenstein
Subject: Fwd: Verifying Statistics / Requesting Interview for story on Internal Affairs Data

It's copied below. Looks like the original was sent March 30th

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: "Queally, James" <James.Queally@latimes.com>
Date: April 10, 2018 at 10:54:30 AM PDT
To: Joshua Rubenstein <n5373@lapd.online>, "Capt. Patricia Sandoval" <25981@lapd.online>
Subject: Re: Verifying Statistics / Requesting Interview for story on Internal Affairs Data

Circling back on this, as I have not received a response in nearly two weeks.

Thank You,
James Queally
Reporter
Los Angeles Times
213-265-6529

From: Queally, James
Sent: Friday, March 30, 2018 11:49:51 AM
To: Joshua Rubenstein; Capt. Patricia Sandoval
Subject: Verifying Statistics / Requesting Interview for story on Internal Affairs Data

Good morning:

I am working on a story about sustained citizen complaints against peace officers in California, based off data reported to the California Department Of Justice. While I am relying on data obtained through a public records request with CALDOJ, and the data they provide is based on information directly reported by local agencies, I still wanted to check in and verify their numbers were not in dispute before proceeding. Please look at the below statistics and let me know if the LAPD disputes any of the following:

1. From 2004 to 2016, the LAPD received 33,417 citizen-generated complaints of non-criminal misconduct against its officers. The LAPD sustained 1,855 of those complaints, or roughly 5.5%
2. From 2004 to 2016, the LAPD received 4,631 citizen-generated complaints of misconduct that could rise to the level of a felony against its officers. The LAPD sustained 119 of those complaints, or roughly 2.57%

3. From 2004 to 2016, the LAPD received 4,791 citizen-generated complaints of misconduct that could rise to the level of a misdemeanor against its officers. The LAPD sustained 170 of those complaints, or roughly 3.55%

Based on the above statistics, I would also like to interview a commander in Internal Affairs or someone else within the agency with a background in investigating internal misconduct, so I can get a better understanding of the LAPD's mechanisms when it comes to policing its own. I'd want to know more about the department's complaint intake process, how (if at all) it differs from complaints generated within the agency, and discuss the findings above.

On average in the same time frame, law enforcement agencies in California sustained roughly 8.5% of all non-criminal misconduct complaints, 6.4% of all felony complaints and 12% of all misdemeanor complaints, meaning the LAPD seems to be sustaining complaints at a significantly lower percentage across the board. I would like to discuss the data discrepancy with LAPD officials, as well as how you think such numbers affect public trust. Given California's lack of transparency laws when it comes to officer discipline and Internal Affairs statistics -- as you know, the specific classifications of the above misconduct allegations are not public, i.e.: excessive force, false arrest, etc. are not public -- it is very difficult for the public to understand why or how police departments arrive at these internal decisions.

Thank You. I look forward to discussing this further.

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From: Queally, James <James.Queally@latimes.com>
Sent: Thursday, May 10, 2018 3:33 PM
To: Joshua Rubenstein
Cc: Patricia Sandoval
Subject: Re: An actually (maybe) fun request!

As to #1 - No rush at all. Unless you guys find the damn thing, obviously.

#2 - I will find the email and resubmit. I believe Trish had already pinged IA on it.

Sent from my iPhone

On May 10, 2018, at 3:30 PM, Joshua Rubenstein <n5373@lapd.online> wrote:

Hey there James...sorry it took so long to get to this. I probably won't have anything to satisfy your geekiness until Monday. It has been crazy here as you know.

As far as request number 2 goes. Can you resend the original request so I don't have to dig through past emails and I'll follow up on it. If not...I will hunker down and look for it.

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Sent from my iPad

On May 10, 2018, at 7:47 AM, Queally, James <James.Queally@latimes.com> wrote:

Morning folks:

So unless you are transferring the case to the Avengers or S.H.I.E.L.D., I'd like to talk to someone in Commercial Crimes regarding the theft of the Iron Man suit. As Capt. Sandoval knows, I'm a card-carrying nerd, but I also think there is a good/weird crime story in this that might be ripe for a follow. Basically, something along the lines of how do you even track down something like this, is there some kind of lesser-known community where people would fence or collect something as a rare or as valuable as a \$325K movie prop? Are there past cases the LAPD has handled that have involved the theft of other valuable comic book or pop culture lore items (the theft of Nicolas Cage's original Superman and Batman comics and/or the actual "Maltese Falcon" prop come to mind as famous L.A. cases).

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From: Chang, Cindy <Cindy.Chang@latimes.com>
Sent: Friday, May 04, 2018 2:38 PM
To: Patricia Sandoval
Cc: Joshua Rubenstein;Chris Ramirez;Meghan Aguilar;Barry Montgomery;Brian Churchill;Hector Guzman;Frank Preciado;Michael Wang;Mathew Rejis
Subject: RE: Request to attend various events

Hi Trish,

The timing for my Beck profile is being pushed back. The search for the new chief is taking precedence, since we have until June 27 for Beck. I could have told you that was a smarter way to do it, but I'm not the boss!

So I'd like to take you up on all three of the events you suggested – May 21, May 24, and June 27, for myself and a photographer. Thanks!

Cindy Chang
Staff writer, Los Angeles Times
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From: Patricia A Sandoval [mailto:25981@lapd.online]
Sent: Wednesday, April 25, 2018 2:49 PM
To: Chang, Cindy
Cc: Joshua N Rubenstein; Chris Ramirez; Meghan E Aguilar; Barry K Montgomery; Brian J Churchill; Hector Guzman; Frank Preciado; Michael T Wang; Mathew W Rejis
Subject: Request to attend various events

Hi Cindy,

I just wanted to follow-up on your request to attend some of the final events for Chief Beck prior to his retirement. This is what Lt Ramirez, Officer Mike Wang and I have come up with at this point:

May 21, 2018, 10:00/11:00 AM: General Staff Meeting in Deaton Hall (Meeting consisting of Captains and above and civilian equivalent)

May 24, 2018, 4:00/4:45 PM: Foot Beat with Chief Beck in Jordon Downs Housing Projects

June 27, 2018, 11:30 AM: Chief Beck last day at work at PHF

We are checking the schedule for one or two other meetings/functions and will keep you posted. Please verify you plan to attend these events. Officer Regis will be your point of contact the day of these events.

Thank you,
Trish

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From: Joshua Rubenstein
Sent: Friday, May 04, 2018 1:33 PM
To: Richard Winton
Cc: Joshua Rubenstein
Subject: Re: What is the status of Officer Kenneth Collard ?

Assigned home

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Public Information Director
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On May 4, 2018, at 1:16 PM, Winton, Richard <Richard.Winton@latimes.com> wrote:

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From: Patricia Sandoval
Sent: Thursday, May 03, 2018 3:40 PM
To: Queally, James;Joshua Rubenstein
Cc: PIO;Chris Ramirez
Subject: RE: Question about LAPD policy about suspects rights to where religious garb while in custody

James,

I am going to be out of town, but will forward your request to our PIO, who will reach out to Jail Division.

Thank you,
Trish

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To: Patricia Sandoval <25981@lapd.online>; Joshua Rubenstein <n5373@lapd.online>
Subject: Question about LAPD policy about suspects rights to where religious garb while in custody

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Reporter**

Los Angeles Times

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Sent: Wednesday, May 02, 2018 5:35 PM
To: Patricia Sandoval
Subject: RE: goodbye

Thanks, Trish. It was great working with you. Best of luck!

From: Patricia Sandoval [mailto:25981@lapd.online]
Sent: Wednesday, May 02, 2018 4:05 PM
To: Mather, Kate
Subject: RE: goodbye

Hi Kate,

Best of Luck to you this Summer with your bartending stint and then in law school. I know you will do well and hopefully will be back in LA one of these days again.

Thank you for being a great partner to me and the LAPD,
Trish

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From: Mather, Kate [mailto:kate.mather@latimes.com]
Sent: Wednesday, May 02, 2018 11:42 AM
To: 'Kate Mather' <mather.kate@gmail.com>
Subject: goodbye

Hi there,

As many of you probably know by now, today is my last day at The Los Angeles Times. I'm off to law school at Berkeley this fall and though I will miss journalism tremendously, I'm looking forward to my next adventure.

I wanted to thank you for your professionalism and respect over the years. Our conversations helped me better understand policing in Los Angeles and all the complicated, nuanced issues that come with it. You offered important facts, perspectives and context for my stories, which helped me better explain to the public what was happening at the LAPD and how that impacted the city as a whole. Thank you for your patience in answering my questions – and for picking up the phone again when I inevitably called back with follow-ups.

Should you ever need to reach me in the future, I'll be at mather.kate@gmail.com. (My cell number will also change by the end of the day – if you'd like the new one, let me know.)

Thanks again, and take care.
Kate

From: Patricia Sandoval
Sent: Wednesday, May 02, 2018 4:05 PM
To: Mather, Kate
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